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Syllabus OF

**Defense & Strategic Studies
(General)**

Semester – III

2014

Semester - 3
Theoretical

Total Marks 50

Paper - III : Military History and Organization of Modern War in

Internal Assessment

Unit - I Military Organisation of modern India.

1. Military Organisation of British India up to 1947- Amalgamation of Presidency Armies and Kitchner Reforms. Reorganisation of Indian Army under the Crown.
2. Role of Indian Armed forces in the First World War.
3. Role of Indian Armed forces in the Second World War.
4. Indianisation of Indian Armed forces up to 1947.
5. Present Defence setup of India - Defence Committee of the Cabinet. Organisation of Defence and its functions, Defence Ministers Committee and its functions. National Defence Council Chief of Staffs Committee. National Security (Internal & External) Advisory Committee.
6. Organisation of Army, Navy and Air Force - Head Quarters - Commands Structures and their Functions. Static Formation and Field Formation different fighting and administrative wings in India. With Second time of Defence and Para Military Forces.

Unit - II World Military History.

20 Marks.

1. Effects of Industrial Revolution of Art of Warfare.
2. Military Reforms of Gustavus Adolphus and Fedrik the Great.
3. French Revolution of 1789 A D - Causes and Developments in Strategy and Tactics
4. Napoleonic Art of Warfare and Napoleon's Contributions to Strategy and Tactics.
5. American Civil War 1861 -1865 AD - Causes and Developments in Strategy and Tactics. Military Lessons.
6. Russia Japanese War 1904 - 1905 AD - Causes and Developments in Strategy and Tactics. Military Lessons.

PRACTICAL

Total Marks

50 Marks

Internal Assessment

10 Marks.

Studies on War in India

30 Marks

1. Battle of Hydaspas 326 BC
2. Battle of Tarrain 1192 A D
3. 1st Battle of Panipat 1526 A D
4. 2nd Battle of Panipat 1556 A D
5. 3rd Battle of Panipath 1761 A D
6. Battle of Plassey 1757 A D
7. Battle of Assaye 1803 A D
8. Battle of Chillianwala 1849 A D
9. Indo-Pak War of 1947-48 AD with special reference to Battle of Shalatang
10. Sino-Indian Conflict of 1962 AD – Battle of Thangla Ridge
11. Indo-Pak War of 1965 AD with special reference to Battle of Khemkaran
12. Indo-Pak War of 1971AD with special reference to Operation in Eastern Front – Battle of Shakargarh.
13. Kargil War 1999 AD

Viva

10 Marks

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

1. Singh, S.D. Ancient Indian Warfare with special reference to the Vedic Period.
2. Majumdar, B.K. Military system in Ancient India.
3. Majumdar, B.K. Bhartiya Sena Ka Itihas.
4. Fuller, J.F.C. Generalship of Alexander the Great.
5. Kangle, R.P. Kautilya Arthashastra.
6. Sarkar, J.N. Military History of India.
7. King Lucas. Memoirs of India.
8. Irvin, I. Bhartiya Mughalon Ki Sainya Vy avashtha, translated by R. Tiwari.
9. Sen, S.N. Military System of Marathas.
10. Duff, Grant. Marathon Ka Itihas.
11. Bajwa, F.S. Military System of Sikhs.
12. Tripathi, R.P. Rise and fall of the Moghals.
13. Gupta, H.R. Marathas & Panipat.
14. Sharma, Gautam. Indian Army Through the Ages.
15. David, Alfred. Indian Art of War.
16. Roy, S.N. Bharat Ka Sainya Itihas
17. Bhatia, H.S. Military History of British India.
18. Singh, N. The theory of Force and Organisation of Defence in Indian Constitutional History.
19. Singh, Nagendra. The theory of force and organization of Defence in Indian Constitutional History
20. Longer, V. Red Coat to Olive green
21. Prasad, B. The Indian Armed Forces in World War II
22. Sen, S.N. Eighteen Fifty Seven
23. Chopra, M.K. India-The search for power
24. Gupta, Shishir. Kashmir
25. Singh, Bhupinder. Indo-Pak Conflict over Kashmir
26. Akbar, M.J. India-The Siege within the Indian Army
27. Dalvi, J.P. Himalayan Blunder
28. Kaul, B.M. The Untold Story
29. Sinha, S. The Chinese Aggression
30. Maxwell, N. India and China war of 1962
31. Mankekar, D.R. Twenty two fateful days
32. Singh, Harbaks. Indo-Pak Conflict 1965
33. Agwani, M.S. Politics in the Gulf
34. Agwani, M.S. The West Asian Crisis
35. Bellock, H. The French Revolution
36. Chandler, D.G. Campaigns of Napoleon
37. Churchill, W.S. American Civil War
38. Singh, S. Battles of Panipath
39. De, M. and Deb, S. Pratiksha Bidhya . Part - II (In Bengali)